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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application.

Claims 1, 2, 4-10, 12-15 and 20 remain in the application.

Claims 3, 11 and 16-19 are currently withdrawn.

Claims 1, 2, 4-10, 12-15 and 20 are as previously presented.

Election/Restrictions

Following the election/restrictions required by the Examiner, the Applicants wish to elect the following subspecies:

From specie a., the Applicants elect subspecie i.

From specie b., the Applicants elect subspecie i.

From specie c., the Applicants elect subspecie i.

In order for the claims to reflect the election/restrictions, the Applicants have withdrawn all the claims which were believed to related to non-elected species/subspecies.

The Applicants respectfully believe that all the remaining claims are either generic in nature or relate to elected species/subspecies.

Information Disclosure Statement

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In order to respect their duty of candor, the Applicants respectfully submit a supplementary IDS, enclosed herewith, comprising the references cited by the PCT Examiner in the corresponding PCT application No. PCT/CA2004/000400.

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